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**TRANSMITTAL OF UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)****1. Utility Patent Application:**34 Pages of specification; 5 Pages of claims; 1 Page of Abstract18 Sheets of drawings: ☒ informal ☐ formal

2. ☒ This is a ☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☒ Continuation-In-Part (CIP) of prior application Serial No. 08/676,493, filed July 8, 1996, now abandoned, and continuation-in-part of application Ser. No. 09/002,807, filed January 5, 1998, now abandoned, and continuation-in-part of application Ser. No. 09/389,697 filed September 3, 1999, the entire disclosures of which are hereby incorporated by reference herein

☐ Cancel in this application, claims - of the prior application (at least one claim retained), before calculating the filing fee below.

3. ☐ Combined Declaration/Power of Attorney:☒ newly executed ☐ unsigned☐ copy from prior application for Continuation/Divisional (37 CFR § 1.63(d)(1))

☐ The application is being filed by less than all inventors named in the prior application. Delete the following inventor(s) named in the prior application (37 CFR § 1.63(d)(2)):

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4. ☒ Additional Papers enclosed:☒ A return postcard.☐ Nonpublication Request☐ Assignment of the invention to: ☐ Cover Sheet for Assignment.☐ Information Disclosure Statement ☐ Form 1449 ☐ Copy of IDS Citations☐ Certified copy of Priority Document as a application, Serial No. , filed .**5. Fee Calculation (37 CFR 1.16).**

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